LEVY PADDY COLLECTED IN COONDAPUR

152. Smt. W. F. Fernandes (Coondapur).—

Will the Minister of State for Food and Civil Supplies be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the total quantity of levy paddy collected in Coondapoor Taluk during the years 1968-69, 1969-70 and 1970-71, and the name or names of agencies to whom collection of the levy paddy was entrusted during the above years ;

(*b*) the quantity of paddy or rice taken delivery by the Government each year from the above agents (the date of delivery and the quantity remaining with the agents at the end of each year may be furnished) ;

(*c*) whether at any time between 1st April 1968 and 31st December 1971 the agents have failed to deliver levy paddy or rice to the Government when Government wanted the same for distribution through Fair Price Shops ? ,

Smt. E. E. VAZ (Minister of State for Food and Civil Supplies).—

(*a*) Total quantity of levy paddy collected in Coondapur Taluk is as follows :—

Sl. No.	*Year*	*Quantity in Qtls.*
1.	1968-69	16,062-29
2.	1969-70	13,670-01
3.	1970-71	569-31½

The work of collection of levy paddy during these years was entrusted to the Taluka Agricultural Produce Co-operative Marketing Society Coondapur.

(*b*) and (*c*) The matter is *sub-judice* in the Court of Civil Judge, Udipi.

MANGALORE FERTILISER FACTORY

264. Sri A. G. KODGI (Baindur).—

Will the Minister for Industries be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the total estimated cost of the Mangalore Fertilizer Project and the names of Share holders of the Sponsoring Company and the number of shares obtained by each share holders including the Government ;